



**PATENT**

**AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED PROCESS**

Attorney Docket No. 032405R096

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Tadashi MASUDA

U.S. Appln. No.: 10/028,713 Group Art Unit: 1744

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For: WIPER ASSEMBLY FOR VEHICLE

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

**MAIL STOP AFTER FINAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 21, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as described below. Entry and consideration of this Amendment are requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in order to place the application in condition for allowance, or alternatively in better condition for appeal. A Fee Transmittal and requisite fee for one additional independent claim is also attached.